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Inventors: Daniel Fratello et. al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In the Claims

Please add the following new claims 89-105. The new claims are fully supported by the specification as filed on May 5, 2001 and contain no new matter.

89. A vehicle washing system comprising:  
a framework;  
a platform moveably coupled with the framework, the platform being capable of vertical movement relative to the framework; and

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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